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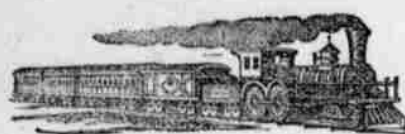
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TIME TABLE.

Between BOWIE and FORT THOMAS.
Taking effect Monday, Nov. 4th at 1:00 p. m.

No. 1.	No. 2.
9:00 a.m. Lv. Fort Thomas	Ar. 7:45 p.m.
9:22 a.m. Lv. Mathewville	Ar. 6:42 p.m.
9:45 a.m. Lv. Phua	Ar. 5:29 p.m.
10:00 a.m. Lv. Central	Ar. 4:30 p.m.
10:10 a.m. Lv. Thatcher	Ar. 3:30 p.m.
10:20 a.m. Lv. Safford	Ar. 2:30 p.m.
10:34 a.m. Lv. Solomonville	Ar. 1:30 p.m.
10:44 a.m. Lv. Fort Grant	Ar. 12:30 p.m.
11:00 a.m. Lv. Fort Thomas	Ar. 11:45 a.m.
11:20 a.m. Lv. Mathewville	Ar. 10:42 a.m.
11:42 a.m. Lv. Phua	Ar. 9:29 a.m.
11:56 a.m. Lv. Central	Ar. 8:30 a.m.
12:07 p.m. Lv. Thatcher	Ar. 7:30 a.m.
12:17 p.m. Lv. Safford	Ar. 6:30 a.m.
12:31 p.m. Lv. Solomonville	Ar. 5:30 a.m.
12:41 p.m. Lv. Fort Grant	Ar. 4:30 a.m.
1:00 p.m. Ar. Fort Thomas	

Mountain Time
Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run daily except Sunday, connecting with Southern Pacific R. R. at Bowie for all points east and west, and with Layton's stage line at Fort Thomas for San Carlos, Globe City and Tomba Basin.
Stations have no agents.
Telegraph Stations.
The Company reserves the right to vary this schedule as circumstances may require.
W. B. GARLAND, President.

Arizona and N. M. Railway.

TIME TABLE.

Going North	Time table	Going South
No. 3	No. 11	No. 1
12:00 p.m. Lv. Fort Thomas	Ar. 7:45 p.m.	10:20 a.m. Lv. Fort Thomas
12:20 p.m. Lv. Mathewville	Ar. 6:42 p.m.	10:40 a.m. Lv. Mathewville
12:40 p.m. Lv. Phua	Ar. 5:29 p.m.	11:00 a.m. Lv. Phua
1:00 p.m. Lv. Central	Ar. 4:30 p.m.	11:20 a.m. Lv. Central
1:10 p.m. Lv. Thatcher	Ar. 3:30 p.m.	11:40 a.m. Lv. Thatcher
1:20 p.m. Lv. Safford	Ar. 2:30 p.m.	12:00 p.m. Lv. Safford
1:34 p.m. Lv. Solomonville	Ar. 1:30 p.m.	12:20 p.m. Lv. Solomonville
1:44 p.m. Lv. Fort Grant	Ar. 12:30 p.m.	12:40 p.m. Lv. Fort Grant
2:00 p.m. Lv. Fort Thomas	Ar. 11:45 a.m.	1:00 p.m. Lv. Fort Thomas
2:20 p.m. Lv. Mathewville	Ar. 10:42 a.m.	1:20 p.m. Lv. Mathewville
2:42 p.m. Lv. Phua	Ar. 9:29 a.m.	1:42 p.m. Lv. Phua
2:56 p.m. Lv. Central	Ar. 8:30 a.m.	2:04 p.m. Lv. Central
3:07 p.m. Lv. Thatcher	Ar. 7:30 a.m.	2:15 p.m. Lv. Thatcher
3:17 p.m. Lv. Safford	Ar. 6:30 a.m.	2:25 p.m. Lv. Safford
3:31 p.m. Lv. Solomonville	Ar. 5:30 a.m.	2:39 p.m. Lv. Solomonville
3:41 p.m. Lv. Fort Grant	Ar. 4:30 a.m.	2:49 p.m. Lv. Fort Grant
4:00 p.m. Ar. Fort Thomas		3:08 p.m. Ar. Fort Thomas

Trains run daily except Sunday.
Stop on Signal. Leave at Arrive.

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answered promptly day and night.
Main Street.

LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN.

Breezy Little Notes of General Interest Picked up Here and There.

H. C. Layton made a business trip to Thomas last Friday.

A full line of clothing, good value at John Blake & Co. 12-6-4t.

At the dance in Packer's hall on New Year's night each person buying a ticket was given one chance to draw a watch. Ezra Madson drew the lucky number.

A first class milk-cow for sale. Inquire of J. H. Hildreth Safford. 1-3-4t.

Messrs. Simpson and McCarty, master builders of Safford, went to Geronimo on Monday evening to erect a large frame building for a saloon and restaurant.

Finest flavoring extracts at the Safford Drug Store. 10-18-4t.

Dr. Porter left a box of cocaine cream at the GUARDIAN office this week. It is manufactured by the Safford Drug Company and is a very superior article for the skin.

Do your own painting. Paint ready for use at the Safford Drug Store. 10-18-4t.

W. D. Jefferson has opened the 16 to 1 saloon, although the building is not quite finished inside, but when it is it will be a very attractive saloon. It is situated just east of the drug store.

You can get more goods for \$1.00 at Fonda's than any store in the valley. 12-20-4t.

Wm. Jackson was arrested last Friday night at Thomas for carrying concealed weapons. He was given a trial before Justice Reashau on Friday and sentenced to 50 days in the county jail.

A Big rush at J. T. Owens, where you get your best bargains for cash. 12-20-4t.

An Englishman in Mesa recently remarked, "In Hingland they call me the son of a lord. In this blasted country, you know, they call me a s—b—, a vawst difference, doncher know?"—Mesa Free Press.

Christmas goods, toys, candies &c. at John Blake & Co. 12-6-4t.

Thomas is now one of the liveliest towns in the valley. What effect the starting up of Geronimo will have on it is hard to tell, but it is to be hoped that it will not seriously effect its business interests.

A full line of Fall and Winter Millinery goods just received at T. T. Hunter's. 10-18-4t.

W. B. Fonda has moved his lumber store house from its old location and placed it on the same lot with his new brick store. This makes four buildings Mr. Fonda has on this location, and he expects to build another brick. He does not believe in paying taxes on unoccupied ground.

Men's boots & shoes, Ladies shoes, children and infants shoes, the best line in town at John Blake & Co. 12-6-4t.

Mayor Sims desires to thank Sheriff Wight and posse, in behalf of the family of Horatio H. Merrill and the people of Pima, through the heroic efforts made to capture the murderers of Mr. Merrill and his daughter. Mayor Sims says this would have been done before but he has been away from home a great deal of the time since the murder occurred.

Gee Whiz! Look here! Just think! Men's and boy's full stock shoes only \$1.00 a pair, with a pocket memorandum book in the bargain at Zundel & Fuller's. Our boots and shoes are going like hot cakes. All kinds of dry goods and groceries at bedrock prices. We give 10c. on the dollar discount for cash. Call and see us as you go by. Don't forget a memorandum book goes with every pair of school shoes. 12-27-4t.

Sheriff Wight of Graham county came in yesterday morning from Solomonville with a patient for the insane asylum. It was Sheriff Wight with a posse, who trailed the Indian murderers of Merrill and his daughter and had a brush with them in the mountains. Mr. Wight said he trailed the Indians four days and nights, and neither party rested in all that time, and it was only the nature of the country which saved the pursued. Wight apprehends no further trouble from the Indians at present as soldiers are patrolling the country about the reservation, and the nature of the Indian is to do his work when no one is expecting him.—Herald.

THE PRACTICE OF MEDICINE.

A Communication by Dr. Charles H. Porter.

EDITOR GUARDIAN.—The law bearing on the practice of medicine is very plain. It reads: "No person shall practice medicine or obstetrics in the Territory of Arizona who has not been duly qualified and has registered proof of such qualification with the County Recorder."

There are several persons in this valley who are every day violating this law by openly practicing medicine.

The attendance on cases of child birth by women is excusable, but when it comes to the treatment of diseases in general it surely should be stopped. The consequence of this promiscuous prescribing by ignorant persons who know nothing of the nature of the disease for which they prescribe and still less of the drugs which they use, is frequently of the most serious nature. Every day or two some poor little life is sacrificed by these would be doctors. They cram down the throats of the poor little sufferers a lot of drugs as foreign to the case as it is possible to be, and wait until the little patient is dead or nearly so before sending for a physician. Then because the little sufferer dies the doctor is abused unjustly when, if valuable time had not been lost fooling with these ignorant persons the little life could have been saved. These people have every life so sacrificed to answer for.

If common sense and justice to the children and humanity cannot dictate the right course to pursue to those who are carrying on this practice then the law should be put in force. The punishment is \$100 fine for each offense. Many of the doses that the poor children have to swallow savors not only of ignorance and superstition but filth. One gives broth made from a hen cooked feathers, entrails and all for nausea and vomiting, and another gives the scrapings of a living pig's feet, made into pills and the excrement applied as a poultice for tonsillitis. Another applies the entrails of a pig, torn from a living animal as a poultice in peritonitis. While such ignorant savagery is being carried out the poor patient is allowed to get as near death as possible before the physician is called in, then if he does manage to restore the child from the jaws of death it is only by superhuman efforts that he succeeds.

I make this complaint simply in justice to the community, and I ask every well thinking man and woman to take this matter into serious consideration. There is not a physician practicing in this valley to-day who has not experienced everything I have said in his practice and well knows that I have not overdrawn the picture.

The people of this valley are too enlightened to submit any longer to this and it is time that they begin to save themselves and their loved ones from this sacrifice to ignorance and superstition. As I said before, in child birth cases there is some excuse, but there is certainly no excuse for this general prescribing for every disease that comes along, loosing valuable time and curtailing the usefulness of the physician.

CHAS. H. PORTER, M. D.

Pima Happenings.

Wm. Whipple is down from Clifton to spend the holidays. The holidays passed off quietly with the exception of a prize fight. The ring was drawn on main street and the seconds picked and every thing ready for the battle when one of the city authorities interfered. They then decided to go out side of the city limits where another ring was made and the battle begun, during which one of the parties stepped on the other's toes and the consequence was that both fell to the ground hugging each other and while in that position they, upon conditions agreed to end the battle, so the 500 spectators who were to witness the combat had a several mile tramp for nothing.

It is reported that the Pima Dramatic and Comedy Co. will soon be seen in Safford with Halve the Unknown.

Dr. Wightman has been called to Goodwin several times to see patients suffering with diphtheria, there being four cases in the family of Mr. Wood. He reports them all doing nicely.

A number of young people from up the river were here to the party New Years night. The party was very crowded and the consequence was not as good a time was had as generally but we hope the young people will not be discouraged but come again.

The Safford public schools will open on Monday next.

CARNEGIE.

Makes A Very Strong Plea For Arbitration.

Following is the full text of Andrew Carnegie's communication cabled to the London Times.

"A very great power has declined arbitration in a boundary dispute with a very weak power, because part of the territory in dispute has been settled by its citizens, whom it is bound to honor and protect."

The great power might, however have offered to accept peaceful arbitration of the whole dispute provided a value was first agreed upon, or that arbitration should fix one upon the settled territory, continued possession of which was held to be necessary.

Thus would the principal of arbitration have been upheld and honor doubly protected, title protected by honorable purchase if unexpectedly found defective, and all her citizens securely guarded. There should be little difficulty in securing arbitration in this form through your able Ambassador at Washington aided by the good offices of your kindred nation, whose services in your recent dispute with Nicaragua had so happy an issue.

Perhaps a price could be obtained without arbitration, although this is less probable, and infinitely less desirable, since arbitration is the precious jewel of our age, and should not be discarded. Those who have seen in it the Christian substitute for barbarous war, at least so far as boundary disputes were concerned, cannot but believe that the people of England would favor arbitration with weak and helpless Venezuela, thus rendered compatible, in any event, with the performance with all her honorable obligations, and reduced simply to a question of payment to perfect her title if found defective by impartial arbitrators, after careful investigation. This is a matter at present resting solely between England and Venezuela, as for as arbitrator is now concerned but that it would be hailed by the American people as a just mode of settlement, and restore unclouded friendship between the two great Anglo-Saxon nations, should not insure it less careful or less favorable consideration.

In this crisis, when the passions of men are so wildly stirred, it is impolitic to refer to the strained relations between the two nations that embrace all our race; but it is all important for the people of both lands to remember that the deplorable irritation, now existing, has its sole cause in the refusal of peaceable arbitration upon a point of honor, which, it is held, renders the continued possession of some disputed territory necessary, but which can readily be safeguarded and yet arbitration be made the instrument of peaceable and honorable settlement for all parties concerned.

ANDREW CARNEGIE.

A COWARDLY ACT.

A Rock Thrown Through the Car Window and Strikes A Woman and Child.

Last Tuesday night when the train had reached the road crossing below Thatcher, some cowardly scoundrel threw a rock weighing about five pounds through the car window. The car was nearly full of passengers, who were chatting merrily along when all at once, crash went the window and a large boulder flew across the car striking Mrs. George Clark, a daughter of Judge Moorman, in the breast and almost knocking her senseless, then striking her little boy child, who was sitting beside her, on the chin making an ugly cut and bruising his little face terribly.

As soon as the situation was realized Judge Fonda and Tump Freeman rushed to the rear end of the car with the intention of dropping off and capturing the culprit, but the door was locked and they could not get out, and before the train could be stopped it had run several hundred yards.

Had the infuriated passengers got hold of the scoundrel it would have been about the costliest piece of rock throwing ever indulged in by that individual, and nothing but the door being locked saved him from capture.

Such work as this is too low and contemptible to be even thought of in a civilized community. The company is making every effort to fasten the crime upon the guilty party, and it is believed they have him located now. Whoever the person is, if he is arrested and found guilty he will undoubtedly receive the full penalty of the law.

NOTICE TO FREIGHTERS.

1000 teams wanted to haul coke from Fort Thomas to the town of Globe, Ariz., and copper back from Globe to Fort Thomas. Gila Valley, Globe & Northern Ry. Co., By WM. GARLAND, Pres. tf.

HE KNIFED HIS ENEMY.

Bloody End of a Pima Feud—Murder at the Lower Gila Crossing.

The Phenix Republican gives an account of a murder, the result of a grudge of long years' standing, which has been wiped out with the result that one Indian is a fugitive from justice and the wrath of his tribe, while another lies cold and stiff in death, surrounded by semi-civilized friends and relatives chanting the funeral dirge of the Pimas.

The deed occurred Friday afternoon at the lower Gila crossing, fourteen miles south of Phenix.

It appears that Luis and Miguel Anton had had some trouble in years gone by; over what, is not known, but at any rate the two became bitter and avowed enemies. Several times since that period the two hostiles came very near squaring accounts, but friends of either always prevented a conflict.

Friday afternoon the two met by accident in a lonely spot, where no one was present to interfere. Though the two Indians were alone a small Indian lad a short distance away, concealed by a mesquite tree, observed the proceedings which he subsequently related to the head men of the Pima village.

His story was that not a word was spoken when the two enemies met. Each instinctively knew that it was a battle to the death. Anton looked helplessly about him for some weapon. Luis saw the other was not armed and with a triumphant shout he dashed at his opponent, who attempted to grapple for the weapon but missed. A flash of steel followed by a moan and Miguel fell to the ground with his life's blood flowing from a wound in his neck. The murderer watched the dying struggles of his enemy, then coolly wiped the knife on the tattered shirt of the prostrate form and strode off into the gathering darkness.

The Indian boy in afright stood spellbound during the brief fight, but when it was over and the murderer had gone the lad ran rapidly homeward.

Subsequently the murderer was pursued, overtaken and shot by the Indian police.

TO SILENCE MILES.

The President and Secretary Lamont Think the Commanding General Talks Too Much.

A special to the Globe-Democrat from Washington says: The President and Secretary of War Lamont are seriously considering the advisability of silencing General Miles. That they are much incensed by the indiscreet talk in which the general has been indulging, in regard to the weakness of this country's coast defense and the general inability to go to war with assurances of success, can be positively stated. Had it not been for the high regard in which they both held him as a soldier and their indisposition to inflict the indignity of rebuke on one whose services to his country in the past have been meritorious, they would have taken action before now.

But General Miles, by his latest speech in Philadelphia, has brought them to the limit of their forbearance and another such break on his part will, in all probability, lead to his suppression. In his Philadelphia speech, not only did General Miles blazon the defenseless condition of his country, but the whole undercurrent of the position taken by the President. His chances for acquiring the title of lieutenant General have lessened, it is thought, by his recent utterances.

FINE FARM FOR SALE.

Fine 20-acre farm for sale with in half a mile of Safford. 18 acres in alfalfa. Four shares of water in the Mill ditch. For particulars apply to the GUARDIAN office. tf

When Chief Nan-tan-go-layze, the chief who was killed in the Cibola fight about three weeks ago, was buried, four horses were led to the grave and their throats were cut, which signifies, it is said, that four white men must die to atone for the death of the chief.

Violin and Guitar strings at the Safford Drug Store. 10-18-4t.

It is reported that Indians are stealing and killing horses belonging to white men, on Ash Creek, between San Carlos and Apache.

Bluestone at the Safford Drug Store. 10-18-4t.

Rev. F. W. Downs will deliver a special discourse Sunday evening on "That Fast Young Man." Special music will be rendered. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. All are invited to attend.

Mr. A. A. Whitney, special agent for the Osborne Machine company, returned this week from a trip to the northern part of the Territory.

Blank promissory notes for sale at the GUARDIAN office.

SUPERINTENDENT CLUFF.

Replies to Mr. Parks' Communication of Last Week.

EDITOR GUARDIAN.—In your last issue there appeared an article from a Solomonville gentleman in which he charges the county board of examiners with "obnoxious actions" in revoking a teacher's certificate for immoral conduct. In justice to the board I want to say that there is a record of its proceedings in the office of the County School Superintendent, and if any person desires to know the truth of this matter they may call and examine those records at any time. The board has simply done its duty according to the law and evidence. We all (county officers especially) have many pleasant duties, and some unpleasant ones to perform. The revoking of this teacher's certificate was indeed an unpleasant one. But the testimony of twelve men, under oath, was that Mr. Foster had conducted himself in an unprofessional and immoral way while engaged as teacher at San Jose. There was not a word of evidence to the contrary. I therefore say that it is unfair and unjust for any man to so harshly criticize the action of the board in this matter. I assert that not even the gentleman from Solomonville would if he were to take the trouble to inform himself with the facts in the case.

"First cast the beam out of thine own eye; and then thou shalt see clearly to cast the mote out of thy brother's eye."

So far as I know, outside of the recent case, Mr. Foster is a gentleman and a successful teacher in many lines. His actions are commendable since his certificate has been revoked. He has taken no part whatever in either of the recent "meetings at San Jose," not even favoring those meetings with his presence.

In conclusion I desire to call the attention of the Solomonville gentleman and a few others on the outside, who have been interesting themselves in this matter, that Graham county has a full set of school officers, elected according to law, and I am of the opinion that they are sufficiently intelligent, and possess the necessary qualifications to successfully manage the school affairs and I would suggest that you attend to your own business and let others alone.

Yours &c.,

GEORGE CLUFF,

County School Superintendent,

Graham County.

SOLOMONVILLE, ARIZONA, Jan. 2d, 1896.

GERONIMO.

This Place Bids Fair to soon Become a Business Center.

Geronimo, or the terminus of the G. V. G. & N. at the line of the reservation will soon be a booming town. Last Friday the headquarters of the railroad company were moved there. Carpenters have been employed to erect the buildings and in a very few days now they will be ready for occupancy.

Alexander Bros., D. H. Ming and other business firms of Thomas are establishing branch houses there. Wanslee & Simpson of this place will start a saloon and H. T. Boggs, of this place will start a blacksmith shop there, and the ones mentioned are only a few of those contemplating opening a business at that place.

The company will make its headquarters there until a right-of-way can be secured through the reservation, and all the coke and supplies for Globe will be shipped from that point.

Hotel goblets 75 cts. per set at Fonda's. 1-3-4t.

The other day Prest. Garland asked some Indians who were lounging around headquarters at Geronimo, why the Indians objected to the railroad passing through the reservation. One Indian with a characteristic grunt replied: "Indian heap like money?" Indicating that if the company will put up enough money the road may pass through.

Cash paid for Hay Corn and Eggs at Fonda's. 1-3-4t.

It is said that a party of Safford's young people went picnicking in Frye's canyon last Tuesday. It is also said they went there to get away from the heated atmosphere of the valley, but we do not know whether this view is correct or not.

Paints, oils and brushes at the Safford Drug Store. 10-18-4t.

Now that John Blake & Co. have their old store building hard finished on the outside and painted it presents a very handsome appearance, and they have it well stocked with general line of merchandise.

Imported Candied fruits at the Safford Drug Store. 12-13-4t.

HALF RATES TO STUDENTS.

The Southern Pacific's Encouragement of the University.

In response to the request by President Billman of the University, Mr. T. H. Goodman, general passenger and ticket agent of the Southern Pacific writes:

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

December 20, 1895.

Prof. Howard Billman, President

University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona.

DEAR SIR.—I am in receipt of your favor of the 13th inst. Our people are desirous of encouraging and aiding your work as much as possible and to that end will make half rates to and from Tucson for the students attending the University of Arizona when enroute from or to their homes. Tickets from Tucson will be sold on your certificate that the holder is a student at the University returning home. Tickets from Tucson will be sold on orders from this office which can be secured by you when desired, i. e., we will send the order to the agent to sell a student a ticket to Tucson when asked to do so. This must be done over your personal signature in order that we may be insured protection in the making of this concession.

Yours Truly

T. H. GOODMAN

The enterprise of President Billman in securing this advantage for the students is highly commendable and is only one incident which is bringing the University into strong popularity. The readiness with which his request has been granted is another evidence of the friendliness and liberality of the Southern Pacific to Arizona generally and to Tucson particularly.

ATTEMPTED MURDER.

Joaquina Silvia Painfully Stabbed on Thursday Night.

North Meyers street nearly had a murder late on Thursday night. Joaquina Silvia a courtesan was stabbed by a man called Sangre which means in English "blood." He is also known by the name of Tubbs. Marshal Paul happened to be in the immediate neighborhood at the time of the stabbing. A boy called the officer and cried that a woman was being murdered, pointing to the house. The marshal found the door locked and after repeated knocking and attempts to break it down the door opened by a woman. Sangre